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ABSTRACT:

PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED: To provide a solid pharmaceutical preparation comprising L-cysteine formulated therein and having effects on alleviation of dermal stains, ephelides, skin roughening, acne vulgaris, etc.

SOLUTION: The stability of the L-cysteine-containing solid pharmaceutical preparation is improved by blending the L-cysteine therein without using a raw material derived from an animal as the \underline{L} cysteine.

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